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March 15, 2019

RE: *In the Matter of the Petition of Northwest Natural Gas Company for an Accounting Order Authorizing Deferred Accounting Treatment of Certain Costs Associated with Environmental Remediation,*  
Docket UG-110199

TO ALL PARTIES:

On September 30, 2011, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 01 Granting Accounting Petition (Order 01) in docket UG-110199. Order 01, among other things, required Northwest Natural Gas Company (NW Natural or Company) to file semi-annual reports for its environmental remediation deferral project. On May 31, 2018, the Commission entered Order 02, Order Granting Northwest natural's Motion to Amend Order 01 (Order 02), which allowed NW Natural to reduce the reporting to an annual report that includes a summary of the status of remediation.

On March 1, 2019, NW Natural filed its 2018 remediation deferral report, including a summary of the status of remediation (Report).

On March 13, 2019, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter informing the Commission that Staff had reviewed the Report and believes that the Report complies with the requirements of Order 01 and Order 02.

The Commission accepts the Report as in compliance with Order 01 and Order 02.

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Executive Director and Secretary